

**BEAUTIFUL CUBAN WINS GREAT  
ADMIRATION IN WASHINGTON**



*Mme. de Cospedes*

Mme. De Cospedes, wife of the  
minister from Cuba. She's considered

one of the most beautiful women in  
the foreign diplomatic circles in  
Washington.

**TO FIGHT ABORTIONISTS WITH  
STATE INSTITUTION**

A fight to put professional abortionists out of business, drive incompetent midwives from the city and prevent the slaughter of babies and their mothers through illegal operations was started at a conference of health officials in the office of the health commissioner yesterday.

An important suggestion provided a state institution where afflicted girls could be taken care of in privacy. This would do away with the private "sanitariums," which now are said to care for the girls and get rid of the babies.

A higher standard of education for midwives, who are charged with three-fourths of the city's abortions, was advocated by the health men. There is at present no training school for these women in the state.

That little is heard of abortion cases among the rich was the intimation of Coroner Hoffman, who was present at the meeting. The death of a rich woman from an abortion was described as "appendicitis" on the death certificate. Hospitals often take in wealthy women as appendicitis patients when the true nature of their affliction is known to the physicians.

A murder charge is a result of the careful watch put over abortions. Mrs. Veronica Rypczenoski, midwife, was blamed by the police for the death of Mrs. Mary Balyznski, 24, 4942 S. Winchester av. She said that she did not perform an operation on Mrs. Balzynski, but provided her with some tea which contained medical properties.

Now they are planning a nationwide blacklist of hoboes. We protest, unless they will include that army of them who have worked Broadway for 20 years.